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December 26, 1974



Re: City of Toledo Solid waste



From Solid Waste File

John J. Gilligan Governor Dr. Ira L. Whitman Director

Richard L. Wenzel, M.D. Health Commissioner Toledo City Health Dept. 635 N. Erie St. Toledo, Ohio 43624

Dear Dr. Wenzel:

On December 19, 1974, an evaluation of the Toledo City solid waste program was made by Loren Shaffer, OEPA, along with Mr. Gerald Rotterdam, Sanitarian, representing the City of Toledo. Our observations were as follows:

Durra Landfill - This site has a life of approximately six months remaining. The present operation is being conducted in a trench and the day to day operation was good in spite of inclement weather. Roadways were well maintained. Compacting and covering was good and earth for covering had been stockpiled. The main emphasis should be on providing final cover and the seeding of the completed area.

Several demolition sites were inspected. The main problem areas seem to be around the old Manhattan Dump, Sam Tuber's site, and the old Treasure Island dump. The leachate draining into the stream leading through these areas is very bad. There is also a considerable amount of leachate coming out of the old Stickney Ave. dump and draining into the Ottawa River. We are willing to work with your department and the T.P.C.A. to bring about a satisfactory remedy to the problem. Our plan for the present time is to issue an NPDES Permit to the responsible individuals, where by they will be required to comply with a schedule to address an of correct these problems.

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The solid waste program of Toledo City was found to be in good compliance, and I am recommending to the Director of the Ohio EPA that the solid waste program of Toledo City be approved for 1974.

It has been a pleasure working with your department, and if I can assist you or if you have any questions, feel free to call.

Sincerely yours,

Loren W. Shaffer

District Sanitarian

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cc: T.P.C.A.

Attn: Mr. Paul Findlay